

**BEVERLY B. KAUFMAN, CLERK  
HARRIS COUNTY**

**PROBATE FEE SCHEDULE - Effective October 1, 2007**

§§118.052 AND 118.101 Loc Gov't Code  
 Continuing Judicial Education fund (CJE) §118.064 Loc Gov't Code  
 Appellate Judicial Fund (AJF) §22.2021 Gov't Code  
 Alternative Dispute Resolution System (CT) §152.004 Tex C P & R Code  
 Law Library (LL) 323.023 Loc Gov't code. Court reporter Fee §51.601 Gov't Code  
 Issuing Documents §118.052(a) Loc Gov't code  
 Security Fund (SF) §291.008 Loc Gov't Code  
 Indigent Legal Services §51.901(4) Gov't Code  
 Records Management Fee (RMP) §118.0216 Loc Gov't Code  
 Judicial Maintenance Fee (JM) §51.704A Loc Gov't Code

**OPENING AN ESTATE OR GUARDIANSHIP**

<b>Probate of Will</b>		<b>Administration</b>		<b>Administration WWA</b>	
Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
LL	15.00	LL	15.00	LL	15.00
Judge	4.00	Judge	4.00	Judge	4.00
Constable	65.00	Constable	65.00	Constable	65.00
Issue Doc	4.00	Issue Doc	4.00	Issue Doc	4.00
AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00
CT	10.00	CT	10.00	CT	10.00
CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00
CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00
SF	5.00	SF	5.00	SF	5.00
RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00
JM	40.00	JM	40.00	JM	40.00
GP	20.00	GP	20.00	GP	20.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>

<b>Heirship</b>		<b>No Administration</b>		<b>Community Administration</b>	
Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
LL	15.00	LL	15.00	LL	15.00
Judge	4.00	Judge	4.00	Judge	4.00
Constable	65.00	Constable	65.00	Constable	65.00
Issue Doc	4.00	Issue Doc	4.00	Issue Doc	4.00
AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00
CT	10.00	CT	10.00	CT	10.00
CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00
CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00
SF	5.00	SF	5.00	SF	5.00
RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00
JM	40.00	JM	40.00	JM	40.00
GP	20.00	GP	20.00	GP	20.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>



<b>Probate of Foreign Will</b>		<b>SMALL ESTATE</b>		<b>Right of Survivorship</b>	
Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
LL	15.00	LL	15.00	LL	15.00
Judge	4.00	Judge	2.00	Judge	4.00
AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00	Constable	65.00
CT	10.00	CT	10.00	Issue Doc	4.00
CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00	AJF	5.00
CRF	15.00	SF	5.00	CT	10.00
SF	5.00	RMP	5.00	CJE	5.00
RMP	5.00	JM	40.00	CRF	15.00
JM	40.00	GP	20.00	SF	5.00
GP	20.00			RMP	5.00
				JM	40.00
				GP	20.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$164.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$147.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>

<b>Guardianship/Minor</b>		<b>Guardianship/Incap</b>		<b>Temp Guardianship</b>	
Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
LL	15.00	LL	15.00	LL	15.00
Judge	4.00	Judge	4.00	Judge	4.00
Constable	65.00	Constable	130.00	Constable	65.00
Issue Doc	4.00	Issue Doc	8.00	Issue Doc	4.00
AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00
CT	10.00	CT	10.00	CT	10.00
CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00
CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00
SF	5.00	SF	5.00	SF	5.00
RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00
JM	40.00	JM	40.00	JM	40.00
GP	20.00	GP	20.00	GP	20.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$302.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$233.00</b>

<b>Sell R/E §889</b>		<b>Home Equity Loan §889A</b>		<b>Guardianship §883</b>	
Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
LL	15.00	LL	15.00	LL	15.00
Judge	2.00	Judge	2.00	Judge	4.00
Constable	65.00	Constable	65.00	AJF	5.00
Issue Doc	4.00	Issue Doc	4.00	CT	10.00
AJF	5.00	AJF	5.00	CJE	5.00
CT	10.00	CT	10.00	CRF	15.00
CJE	5.00	CJE	5.00	SF	5.00
CRF	15.00	CRF	15.00	RMP	5.00
SF	5.00	SF	5.00	JM	40.00
RMP	5.00	RMP	5.00	GP	20.00
JM	40.00	JM	40.00		
GP	20.00	GP	20.00	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$164.00</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$231.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$231.00</b>		<b>\$67 if in-county service is required</b>

Show Cause §75		Testamentary Trust		Trust Fund	
Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
Judge	2.00	LL	15.00	Judge	2.00
Constable	65.00	Judge	4.00	LL	15.00
Issue Doc	4.00	AJF	5.00	CJE	5.00
		CT	10.00		
		CJE	5.00	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$62.00</b>
		CRF	15.00		
		SF	5.00		
		RMP	5.00	<b>Open Safe Deposit Box</b>	
		JM	40.00	Clerk	\$40.00
		GP	20.00	Judge	2.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$111.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$164.00</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$42.00</b>

**PLEADINGS WITHIN A PENDING PROBATE MATTER**

Inventory .....\$25.00  
 (If filed after 120 days of opening of estate)

**Filing a document after the filing of the order approving inventory or after the 120<sup>th</sup> day of the initial filing, whichever occurs first, if more than 25 pages, Fee \$25.00.**

Bond .....3.00  
 Judge's Signature .....2.00  
 (For each place for judge to sign)  
 Annual Account.....25.00  
 Annual Report on Condition of Ward .....10.00  
 Claim .....2.00

**PLEADINGS THAT MAY REQUIRE CITATION**

**Plus the fee for citation(s)**

Final Report on Condition of Ward.....\$10.00  
 Application for Sale of Personal Property .....25.00  
 Application for Sale of Real Property .....25.00  
 Final Account .....25.00

**Miscellaneous**

Abstract of Judgment.....\$2.00  
 Wills for Safekeeping.....5.00  
 Emergency Intervention.....164.00

**Adverse Action**

Original Plaintiff	Cross-Complainant	Jury Fee
Clerk.....\$40.00	Clerk.....\$40.00	Jury Fee .....\$22.00
CRF .....15.00	RMP .....5.00	
RMP .....5.00	ILS .....5.00	<b>Gov't Code §51.604</b>
ILS .....5.00	JM .....40.00	
JM .....40.00	GP .....20.00	
GP .....20.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	
<b>\$125.00</b>	<b>\$110.00</b>	

**Citation Issued and Served by others.....\$8.00**

**CONSTABLE FEES**

**(Plus the additional \$4.00 for issuing document)**

Posting.....\$65.00	Personal.....\$65.00	Subpoena .....\$65.00
Garnishment .....75.00	Sequestration .....75.00	TRO.....75.00
Show Cause.....65.00	Injunction .....75.00	Publication.....65.00
Possession .....125.00	Writs.....75.00	Execution.....75.00

